

S. Kann Sons &amp; Co.

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**"THE BUSY CORNER."**

Always the best of everything for the least money.

OPEN EVERY EVENING.

**The Best Place in the City**

To buy candies for the holidays is here at the Busy Corner—we have made unusual preparations with one of the best manufacturers of pure sweets, in this country—we make a specialty of two kinds—our 12c mixtures are equal in price and variety to any and all selling at 25c—they represent fully twenty-five different kinds—our 15c mixtures are the same as others are selling at 30c—this assortment includes a score or more of all sorts of chocolates, with cream and nut fillings which are delicious, toothsome, pure and fresh—we have concluded to make special prices to Churches, Sunday and Day Schools, private families and entertainments, where quantities are used up to 25 pounds or more. We also furnish neat little half-pound boxes free with the above selling.

**Right Down to Business.**

Later on we may have plenty of time to talk shop, but just now every minute in the day counts. Plain facts with large price marks attached to special holiday values is what everybody is looking for.

**Umbrellas! Umbrellas!**

The front of our store to the right of the main entrance is literally an umbrella city—our department store in this line has made such a large and elegant display as you will see here. Our assortment represents everything for everyone.

We have more than 5,000 pieces, with prices ranging from

**50c to \$50.**

There are fine natural box wood trimmed handles, Mrs. Madagascar wood, Japanese wood, Buck horns, gun-metal, solid silver, gold trimmed, ivory and cane—all beautifully mounted on every class of glorio, of every quality of fabric—silk, and every make of twilled silk—these are for the men folks.

For women we are showing all sorts of novelties, including handles imported in original cases, ready for mounting—Princess handles, long gun metal handles, beaded Parisian effects, fine ivory, real pearls, etc., from

**98c to \$50.**

Ask to see our special novelties, such as Bon-Won Boxes and Smelling Salts Bottles, made in the umbrella handle.

**Gloves! Gloves!**

Most everyone will buy something in the shape of gloves. Many Uteide buyers prefer spending their money on a something substantial, which we consider a very good idea—our preparations in this line have been unusually large—and we feel safe in saying that we can fill the greatest demand in both woolen and skin gloves.

Children's all-wool double-knit 15c  
Mittens—very serviceable, per pair.  
Children's fine black Saxony Knit Mittens—beautifully made and 25c  
Finished, per pair.  
Women's all-wool knit mittens which are exceedingly warm, 19c per pair.  
Women's Silk Knit Mittens, 50c made with fancy backs, per pair.  
Men's all-wool black back Cashmere Gloves, full shape and all sizes, 3c per pair.  
Men's Scotch wool Gloves in a variety of styles—warm and serv. 25c leather—per pair.

We box all skin gloves free with our compliments.  
First floor—section C.

**Handkerchiefs. Handkerchiefs.**

Here's where we hold the fort—here's where we hope to capture many dimes and dollars—our assortment and display is equal to the best ever shown—our prices dovetailed in every way to fit the occasion.

Women's Swiss cambric handkerchiefs, embroidered, scalloped edges, different with hemstitched, embroidered corners, Val lace edges, and many other different makes at—  
299 dozen fine Swiss cambric handkerchiefs—embroidered, lace edges, scalloped edges, and other neat effects—they are 25c value, which we give you for—  
3 for 50c.

A very special lot of ladies' Swiss handkerchiefs, fine cambric handkerchiefs, embroidered and scalloped, lace edges, hemstitched—but assortment represents 299 dozen or more, each—  
1,000 dozen of men's and women's hemstitched, colored bordered, plain white, embroidered corners and initial handkerchiefs—they are much better in quality and more select in design than any you have ever seen offered, each—  
5c

In the better goods you will find the best which the importer brought forth for holiday selling, and the prices are such as to cause entire satisfaction to the buyers—this department is located on the first floor, left of the main entrance.

**Aprons for Holiday Shoppers!**

We have bought over 1,000 dozen of white linen aprons, in plain and fancy makes—most of this lot are looked for by those who desire something that is substantial and at the same time useful—we are offering them from the lowest prices to the extreme novelty.

Ladies' White Linen Aprons, made of good sheer cloth, with deep hem and wide strings—  
10c  
Women's White Aprons, made of good quality lawn—extra full size—laced and lace insertion—  
12c  
Nurses' Aprons, made of good quality white lawn, 60 inches wide, with eight-inch hem and extra full wide strings—  
25c  
Nurses' Aprons, made with bib and lapels over shoulders—laced and hemstitched—extra deep hem and broad ties—  
25c  
These are on sale in our Underwear Department, second floor.

**Two Very Special Items in Knit Underwear.**

Women's Spun Silk Vests—low neck, without sleeves—hand-embroidered fronts and shoulder—silk taped, an all-silk garment in pink, blue, cream, and black—they are worth \$1.75 each, for—  
\$1.25  
Women's extra size Jersey-fitting Drawers—three-quarters wool, in white, and grey—made with French bands—sizes 7, 8, and 9—there being no vests, we have reduced the prices from \$1.10, per pair—  
75c

**Don't Overlook Our Toy Dept.,**

which is located on the third floor, or our book department which is situated in the basement annex. These two holiday attractions are just brimming over with everything to interest the young and the old. Bring the children if you wish to see an up-to-date toy department.

**S. KANN, SONS & CO., 8th and Market Space.****BUILDING TRADES WRANGLE.**

The Fitzgerald Council to Continue Its Meetings.

The Building Trades Council, presided over by John Fitzgerald, at a meeting recently held decided to continue the organization as a protection and advancement of the interests of the local building trades unions. In the hopes of amicably adjusting the differences between the local building trades the council had not met in several weeks. The failure to harmonize the troubles between the two factions, however, decided the Fitzgerald party to resume its regular sessions. The other faction, of which E. J. Ratigan was the head, decided some time ago to disband and leave its affairs to the "building trades section" of the Central Labor Union for consideration.

The trouble between the two factions, it is said, grew out of the application for membership of the organization of paper hangers in the old Building Trades Council in March last. The discussion on this

question was exciting, and at times the participants became personal. The result was that the council was disbanded and a new one was organized by the Fitzgerald party. Within a week the contending factions organized a council, with Fitzgerald as president. Ratigan, after a lapse of time, again called a meeting of his council. These two bodies continued to meet at their respective headquarters until August last, when a proposition was submitted in the Central Labor Union by James L. Feeney looking to an amicable settlement of the differences between the two factions. A committee was appointed by the Central Labor Union and each of the opposing factions. Several joint sessions of these different committees were held. A plan of settlement was agreed upon and the terms were submitted to the different unions composing the factions for ratification. In the meantime the two factions adjourned for a period of thirty days in order that the unions might consider the plans for unification.

The reports submitted to the joint conference committee showed that less than one-half of the unions considered the terms favorably, while only a few expressed a willingness to accept them as

**Bric-a-brac, Lamps, Tables, and Silver-ware.**

Take a stroll through our House-furnishing Department, third floor, and behold the many beautiful and attractive holiday presents which we have created here from every part of the globe as well as from our home manufacturers. If you wish to spend little, you can get much for your money. If your outlay is a little more you will get so much more value. We bought these goods to sell quickly and have made prices accordingly.

Brass Tables, with onyx top, complete with parlor lamp, hand-painted decorated vase and globe to match—made with the best centre draft burner, complete, for—  
\$4.98

Fine Parlor Table Lamps, handsomely decorated with flowers, heavy brass mountings, with best centre draft burner, complete, for—  
\$3.98

Royal Reading Lamp, nickel-plated, complete with 10-inch dome shade, and chimney—  
\$1.48

Hall Lamps, with solid brass trimmings—the kind you can raise and lower—complete with red globe, for—  
\$1.19

Night Lamps—low shape—handsomely decorated with flowers, in assorted colors—  
39c

Wrought-iron Candlesticks, three lights, with colored centres—  
95c

Victoria Vases, 10 inch high, assorted shapes, handsomely decorated with flowers and gold—regular price 75c, for—  
49c

Parian marble busts of Diana and Apollo—regular size, for—  
19c

English Vases, made in assorted shapes, decorated in assorted colors—the large size—regular price 45c, for—  
25c

Bohemian Flower Vases, in assorted colors, with gold decorations—  
48c

New 10-inch high assorted styles in Bisque Figures, worth 95c, for—  
48c

Brass vases, gold plated, urn shapes—new style—  
\$1.39

Mounted vases, 23 inches high, with decorated centre—pitcher shade beautifully finished—regular price \$4.75, for—  
\$3.48

Large size jardiniere and pedestal in assorted styles, decorated in assorted colors—  
\$1.98

9-inch jardiniere—new shape, nicely decorated in blue—  
59c

Carlsbad china brush and comb trays—also new shape, in assorted decorations—finished with heavy gold edge—  
48c

China fern dishes—assorted decorations—with bisque porous lining—regular \$1.45, for—  
98c

Carlsbad china shaving mugs, with extra place for soap—beak shade decorated in flowers and gold—  
19c

Carlsbad china chocolate pitchers, new shape—high class, each with a handle and saucer, made of fine china—nicely decorated—large and small sizes, each—  
25c

Tobacco boxes—assorted style heads—variety of pretty decorations—  
25c

Dresden china clocks beautifully decorated—Ansonia movements—warranted for one year—regular price \$1.45, for—  
98c

Fancy gold-plated brass clocks—warranted good time—pieces—assorted fancy shapes—  
98c

Ansonia iron-enameled Mantle Clocks, 8-day, half-hour strikes—warranted for one year—  
\$3.75

Tea Sets, complete—tea pot, sugar bowl, cream pitcher, and spoonholder—warranted for one year—triple-plated on white metal—hand engraved—  
\$4.48

Butter Dishes, with glass drainers—triple-plated—hand engraved—new shape—  
\$1.48

Triple-plated Shaving Mugs, the new shaped ones, for—  
98c

Triple-plated Card Trays, new style—  
69c

Carlsbad China Dinner and Tea Sets—100 pieces of large pieces of soup tureen, handsomely decorated with flowers and gold—  
\$14.95

The genuine Haviland China Dinner and Tea Sets—highest quality—their latest and newest ideas in china—  
\$22

Third floor.

**SICK HEADACHE**  
CARTER'S  
LITTLE  
LIVER  
PILLS.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

**G. L. PECK DIES SUDDENLY.**

Succumbs to Hemorrhage While Visiting Business Associates.

Stricken While Being Directed to a Hotel—His Wife, Left at the Pennsylvania, Notified of Her Husband's Death by the Police—The Deceased a Prominent Banker of Troy, Pa.

G. L. Peck, a resident of Troy, Bradford County, Pa., died in the Emergency Hospital ambulance shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon of cerebral hemorrhage. In company with his wife, Mrs. Emma A. Peck, he arrived in the city from Philadelphia at 2:40 o'clock, and as his wife was rather feeble he set out alone to visit the commission house of Compton Bros., 634 Louisiana Avenue, old business associates, for the purpose of being directed to a suitable hotel. While in conversation in the office Peck was suddenly noticed to struggle feebly for an instant, then sink back in the chair in which he was seated. Mr. Compton, realizing that Peck was in a critical condition, sprang to his side and discovered that he was speechless.

The Emergency Hospital ambulance quickly responded to a call and hurried Peck to the hospital, but before he reached that institution he was dead. Coroner Nevitt was at the hospital at the time, and after viewing the remains and being informed as to the circumstances surrounding the case, issued a certificate of death from apoplexy or cerebral hemorrhage. The body was turned over to the Messrs. Compton and they had it removed to the undertaking establishment of J. William Lee.

During the brief conversation that Peck had at Compton's office, he had explained that his wife was at the Pennsylvania depot, awaiting his return. The Pennsylvania station was visited, and through the efforts of Detective Howland and Matron Shaughnessy soon located Mrs. Peck. She was told that her husband was very sick, and readily accompanied the detective to Police Headquarters, where he was asked if her husband had never been sick in his life to her knowledge, but that coming from Philadelphia this morning he had complained of indigestion. Otherwise she had never been sick in his life to her knowledge, but that coming from Philadelphia this morning he had complained of indigestion.

Benjamin F. Compton and Mr. Spicer soon joined her and took charge of her. She accompanied the prober and pitifully of Mr. Spicer and will remain at his home, 613 G Street southwest, until the arrival of her husband's business partner, who was telegraphed for. Upon his arrival the body will be removed to Troy for burial.

Mr. Peck was about sixty-five years of age, and until a few years ago was actively engaged in business in Troy, where he was considered one of the wealthiest citizens in the county. He was the senior member in the banking business of Peck & Newberry, and was a heavy shipper of produce from the surrounding country. During the past twenty years he had been making heavy shipments of farm products to both the Comptons and to Oliver O. Spicer, whose place of business is next door, and both of them were his intimate friends.

He had recently given up all of his active pursuits, and acted as an interested in the banking business. He leaves only one child, Mrs. William S. Potter, of Lafayette, Ind., and she has been notified by wire of the sad occurrence.

**THE AUTO BRAKE CONTESTS.**

Exhibitions at Convention Hall Continue to Attract Large Crowds.

Nightly increasing attendance marks the automobile exhibition at Convention Hall. Last night brought a holiday crowd of visitors. Through the evening the merry hum of the autos about the eighth-mile track was incessant. Music by Haley's Band added materially to the pleasure of the visitors.

Several new autos have been added to the exhibition since Tuesday. The De Dion-Bouton Company has received an auto-quadracycle, which has been accorded considerable attention. A phaeton and a piano box runabout, the property of the Ricker Company, were placed on the track, and both are fully occupied in conveying visitors for brief trips about the ring. The "Queen" Victoria has been added to the splendid display of the Woods Motor Vehicle Company. This carriage is one of the most expensive and elegant in the entire exhibition. The same concern made the first sale of a vehicle at the exhibition. An extension brougham has been disposed of, and will remain in the Capital.

Quite a display of the autos in the exhibition was made in yesterday's parade. About twenty-five of the vehicles were in line.

Out of about fifteen entries, the obstacle contest finally narrowed down to two—C. E. Miller and E. L. Weston, both on "Mobiles," who, after the required number of trials, were tied. On the run-off, Miller successfully cleared all obstacles and won in 15 seconds in a flying finish; Mr. Weston scored in 18.7 seconds.

The officials were A. M. Welch, of the Electric Vehicle Company, and T. C. Gregory, of the Knox Vehicle Company, judges; R. A. Johnston and E. L. Wilson, timers, and R. F. Le Mat, starter.

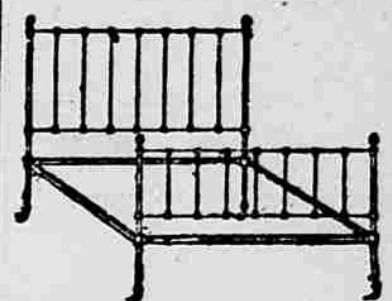
The floral parade promises to be one of the most unique affairs ever attempted here, and the friendly contest of flowers will prove one of the brilliant features of the very successful show.

Among those who have decorated with hies in competition are Sherman Miles, son of General Miles; Col. Henry May, Dr. Wylie, Clarence Norment, Miss Martha Highborn, Miss Parker, L. W. Beck, W. J. Foss, and T. F. Jenkins. W. B. Hibbs and R. A. Johnston have signified their intention of officiating as Judges. The rest of the list of five will include prominent ladies and the principals and chorus of "The Girl from Up There" company, the principals and chorus of the "Belle of Bohemia" company, the Lafayette Stock Company, and the "Miss" company. Novel features for their entertainment and that of the public will be presented.

Down in the Dumps.  
Sad, with a heavy, anxious feeling—the blues! The liver needs quick attention. Take Cascares! Candy Cathartic at once! All druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Correct Evening Dress Requisites.  
Gloves, shoes, skirt, button, ties, etc., are to be found in great variety at Joseph Auerbach's, 625 Pa. ave.

Office Rooms—Low Rent.  
Some first-class office rooms for rent in Hatcher's Building, corner Tenth and D streets northwest. Elevator, steam heat, electricity, and very low rent.

**Two Bed Specials.**

Our line of White Enameled and Brass Beds is not only the largest, but the lowest priced in the city. An inspection will convince you that our White Enameled Bed, like cut, at

**\$2.95**

is sold elsewhere for \$4.50, while our heavy brass trimmed Bed at

**\$4.95**

is not equaled elsewhere at \$7.50.

**CASH OR CREDIT.**

**MAYER & PETTIT,**  
415-417 7th St.

**FOR XMAS,**  
**Oak Chiffonier**  
—with golden oak finish—  
made with 5 drawers.  
Worth \$5, for—  
\$3.78  
**CASH OR CREDIT.**

**Walker & Burks,**  
1013-1015 Seventh Street.

**GAS HEATERS.**

The advantages of Gas Heaters, Gas Radiators, and Gas Logs are too obvious to be discussed. Spare rooms, bath rooms, offices, etc., can have their heat "on" and "off" instantly. No dust, no dirt, no ashes—no trouble and less expense than coal or oil.

**Gas Appliance Exchange,**  
1424 New York Ave.

**2 Pairs Wool Socks**  
25c

That's a bargain, isn't it? Here's another. Warm, snug-fitting UNDERWEAR—"top notch" quality—only \$1 a pair. ALLER'S Kid, Tan, and LUCKY MOUNTAIN SOCKS at \$1 a pair are splendid values.

"SOUL" DEIRDREY and SOFT HATS only \$1.50. **MOORE & CULLINAN, 435 7th St.** oc-11

**Upright Piano Bargains.**

\$500 Steiff.....\$225.00  
\$550 Steiff.....200.00  
\$500 Kimball.....150.00  
\$500 Steiff.....140.00  
**Steiff Piano Warerooms,**  
J. C. COLLIFF, Mgr. 821 11th St. N.W.

**Tolman Laundry Service is the Best.**

Modern machinery and expert help are bound to give the really good service desired by all good dressers. Besides, we give very prompt service and call regularly for all packages. Let us have your next package—we can please you all right.

**Phone 1557**  
**Gets Quick Response.**

**TOLMAN STEAM LAUNDRY,**  
Corner 6th and C Sts. N.W.

**Regent Shoes.**

All the newest and most attractive styles in men's shoes. Suits, ties, hats, etc., made to order. \$4.00 shoes made to order. **\$2.50**

**943 Pennsylvania Avenue.**

**Phone 2154** 12 quart bottles of the Washington Brewing Co.'s Famous Golden Beer for \$1. Delivered in unlettered wagon.

**The Times**

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1900.

**Weather Indications.**

Fair, warmer Thursday; rain at night or Friday; colder Friday; fresh southwesterly winds Thursday.

**TEMPERATURE.**

Highest temperature, 4 p. m., 49.  
Lowest temperature, 4 a. m., 35.

**THE SUN AND MOON.**

Sun rises—7:08 A. M. Sun sets—4:57 P. M.  
Moon rises—11:40 P. M. Moon sets—6:19 A. M.

**TIME TABLE.**

High tide.....11:41 A. M. and 1:20 P. M.  
Low tide.....7:31 A. M. and 8:06 P. M.

**STREET LIGHTING.**

Lamps lit today.....5:17 P. M.  
Lamps out tomorrow.....6:19 A. M.

**AMUSEMENTS.**

New National Theatre—Edna May in "The Girl from Up There" to-night.  
Columbia Theatre—Follie Vaudeville; afternoon and evening.  
Columbia Theatre—"The Belle of Bohemia"; afternoon and evening.  
Lafayette Square Opera House—"Rosemary"; evening.  
Academy of Music—"Miles"; afternoon and evening.

Bertina's Lyceum Theatre—"Imperial Burlesques"; afternoon and evening.  
The New Bijou—"A Hot Old Time"; afternoon and evening.  
Convention Hall—"The automobile show"; afternoon and evening.

**IN AND ABOUT THE CITY.**

**Charged With Disturbance.**  
Mike McDonald, aged thirty-eight years, last night attended a playhouse and took a seat in the gallery. During the performance he is said to have created a disturbance by using vile language. Special Bowler arrested him and turned him prisoner over to Policeman Stahl.

**Fell From a Street Car.**  
Capt. John B. Bond, forty-six years of age, residing at 1014 Twelfth Street northwest, fell off a train of the Capital Traction Company at Fourteenth Street and New York Avenue north-west last night about 8 o'clock. Besides injuries to the knee, Bond was cut about the head and face. He was sent to the Columbian University Hospital by the First precinct police, and friends were notified of the accident.

**"Hechts' Greater Stores"**

513-515 Seventh Street.

**Specials in toys, dolls, etc.**

15c tin trains (engine and two cars).....	9c	15c dressed dolls.....	84c
15c tin kitchens.....	9c	39c dressed dolls.....	23c
15c back-gammon boards.....	8c	25c drums for.....	19c
Four styles 5c games.....	24c	5c picture books.....	24c
Assorted 10c games.....	7c	50c sleighs.....	25c

**39c ornaments, 25c.**

Pretty ornaments of Austrian glass, bisque, and Hungarian ware, worth up to 39c, for 25c.

**\$1.50 lamps, 98c.**

Handsome decorated lamps in most beautiful decorations, 98c today instead of \$1.50.

**25c lambrequins, 19c.**

Pretty piano or mantel Lambrequins—fringed—worth 29c for 19c.

**Applied pieces, 29c.**

Lot of sample applique pieces—bureau and washstand scarfs—shams and covers—worth up to 75c, for 29c.

**Applique and spachtel pieces, 49c.**

Lot of spachtel and applique bureau and washstand scarfs—shams worth up to \$1, for 49c.

**Table covers, 29c.**

Lot of heavy four-quarter tapestry table covers in variety of colors, worth 49c, for 29c.

**75c blankets, 49c.**

Heavy 10-quarter white and grey blankets with pretty borders—worth 75c, for 49c.

**\$4 blankets, \$2.79.**

Lot of 11-quarter California wool blankets, with handsome borders—in pink, blue and red—worth \$4, for \$2.79.

**Specials in Linens.**

If you'll give linens or if you need them for the Christmas table taken advantage of these specials:

5c heavy twilled cotton crash, 3 1/2 yd.  
8c extra heavy dice pattern crash, 5 1/2 yd.  
10c pure linen Russian crash, 8 1/2 yd.  
25c all-linen knotted fringe towels, 19c.  
33c white hemstitched huck towels, 25c.  
98c all-linen full bleached damask doilies, good size, 69c doz.  
\$1.25 all-linen 3-4 size dinner napkins, 98c.  
75c ready-to-use 8-quarter turkey red table covers, 59c.  
\$1 black and white border turkey red covers, 79c.  
75c silver bleached, hemmed and fringed, dice pattern table covers, 59c.  
\$2.50 genuine German silver bleached linen table covers, hemmed and hemstitched, free from dressing, for \$1.98.

**Men's \$2.50 umbrellas, \$1.98.**

225 men's 28-inch silk tafeta umbrellas, made on paragon frames—with steel rods, natural and horn handle, silver trimmed (engraved free), instead of \$2.50 for \$1.98.

**Misses' 50c umbrellas, 39c.**

200